REMARKS

Reconsideration of this application, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Claims 29-32, 34-42 and 44-50 are pending. Claims 29-32, 34-42 and 44-50 stand rejected.

No claims have been amended. No claims have been canceled. No claims have been added. Support for the amendments is found in the specification, the drawings, and in the claims as originally filed. Applicant submits that the amendments do not add new matter.

DOUBLE PATENTING

The Examiner rejected all pending claims 29-32, 34-42, and 44-50 under judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting and indicated that a terminal disclaimer would overcome the double patenting rejection.

In this response, Applicants have submitted a timely filed terminal disclaimer and a check for the disclaimer fee. Appellant respectfully submits that the rejection has been overcome.

CONCLUSION

Applicants respectfully submit that all claims are now in condition for allowance and this amendment should be entered. Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any fee deficiency associated with this response.

Respectfully submitted,

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